



JTAC Update

Clerks' Association

2005 Annual Meeting

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**Director and Counsel for Trial Court Technology
Judicial Technology and Automation Committee**



The CMS is “a go”

"Rumors of my death are greatly exaggerated."

-Mark Twain





JTAC's Mission

To help courts and clerks use technology to better serve the citizens of Indiana

- Standardize technology
- Seek funding
- Provide training and equipment
- Link 92 counties with a 21st Century Case Management System that serves courts, clerks, state agencies and the public.



JTAC's front line help

Email and Internet – in 1999 about a third of our courts had email/Internet access



In 2005 – 100% do!



JTAC's front line help

32,943.5 – number of hours of free computer training **1,228** court and clerk staff have received at Ivy Tech campuses throughout Indiana.

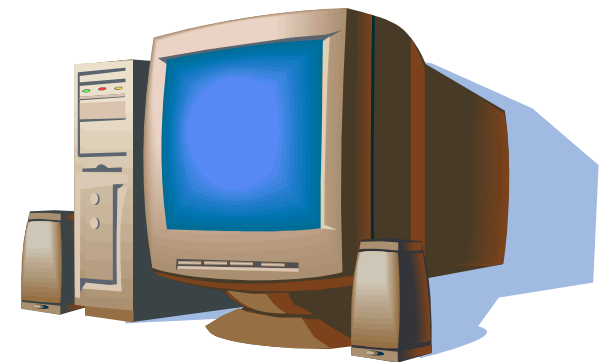




JTAC's front line help

171 – refurbished computers provided to counties free of charge

You can also buy computers at a discount through JTAC's program with Dell.





JTAC's front line help

JTAC's web team created a web page for every county in Indiana for easy posting of information.

Administrative Rule 81 requires that local court rules be posted on the Internet.





JTAC's front line help

Local website

Hancock County Courts - Indiana - Microsoft Internet Explorer

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Address http://www.in.gov/judiciary/hancock/ Go

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INDIANACOURTS

Home Information Law Library Education Courts Programs Administration

home > trial courts > hancock county

Hancock County Courts

This page contains basic information about the courts and clerk in Hancock County. This page has been created for your convenience and does not serve as the official webpage for the county, courts, or clerk listed herein. Because personnel changes can happen frequently, the contents of this page may be out of date, though every effort has been made to keep the content current. Report errors on this page to the [Indiana Courts webmaster](#).

Clerk of the Courts

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- Website: http://www.hancockcoingov.org/clerk_of_courts/

Trial Courts

The following document is available in Adobe PDF format only. You must have the [Adobe Acrobat Reader](#) to view and print PDF files.

Local Rules	PDF
For Hancock Circuit and Superior Courts	50 pages 120 kb

- Website: http://www.hancockcoingov.org/county_courts/

Quick FACTS

Courthouse Location
9 East Main Street
Greenfield, IN 46140 [\[map\]](#)

Popular LINKS

- [Alphabetical Judges Roster](#)
- [Roll of Indiana Attorneys](#)
- [Self-Service Legal Center](#)
- [Legal Links](#)

PDF documents require the Adobe Acrobat Reader. [Adobe Acrobat Reader](#)

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JTAC's front line help

JTAC pays for access to the LexisNexis on-line research data base

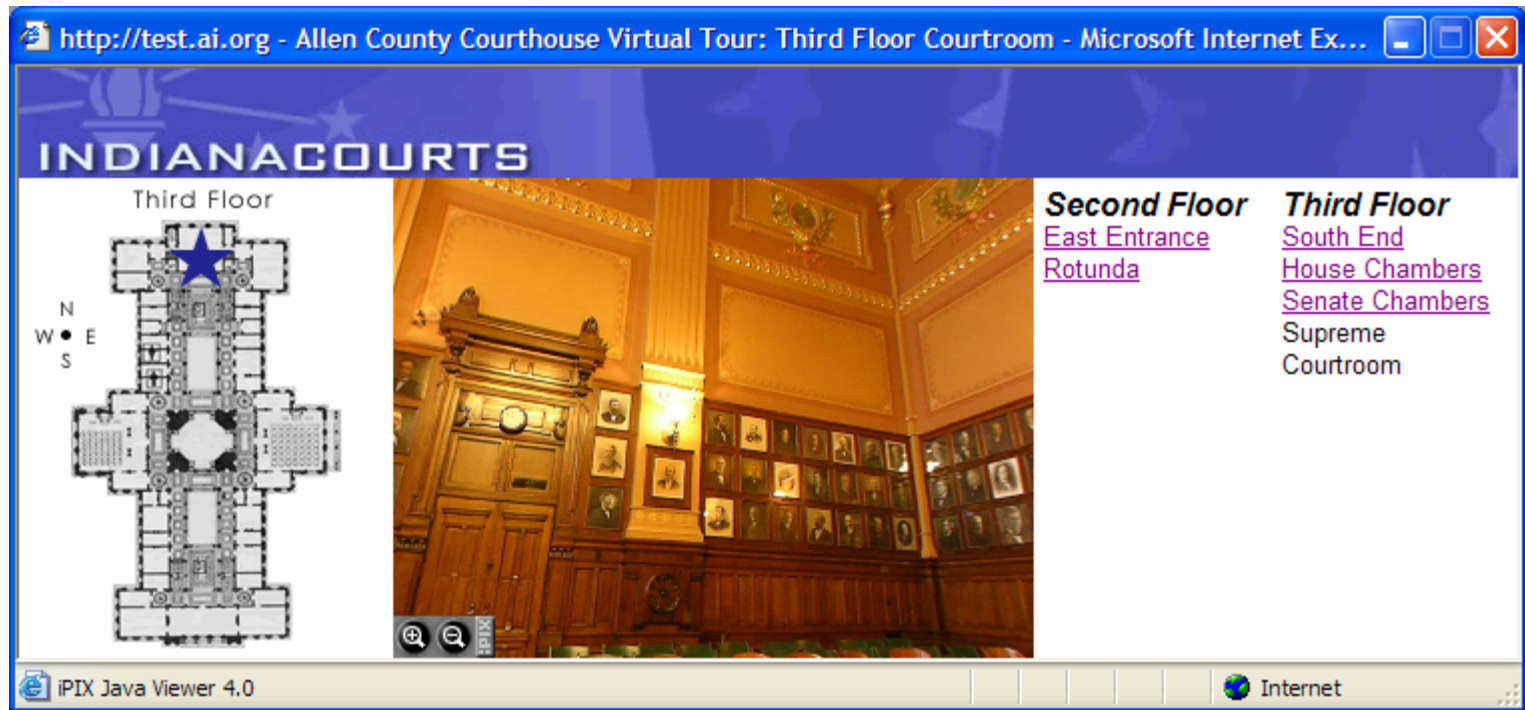
420 — number of LexisNexis users taking advantage of the free service right now





OTHER JTAC INITIATIVES

Virtual Courthouse Tours





Child Support Calculator

20,000 — number of visits per month.
Ranks as one of the most used pages on the website.

398 — number of forms downloaded from the site EVERY DAY





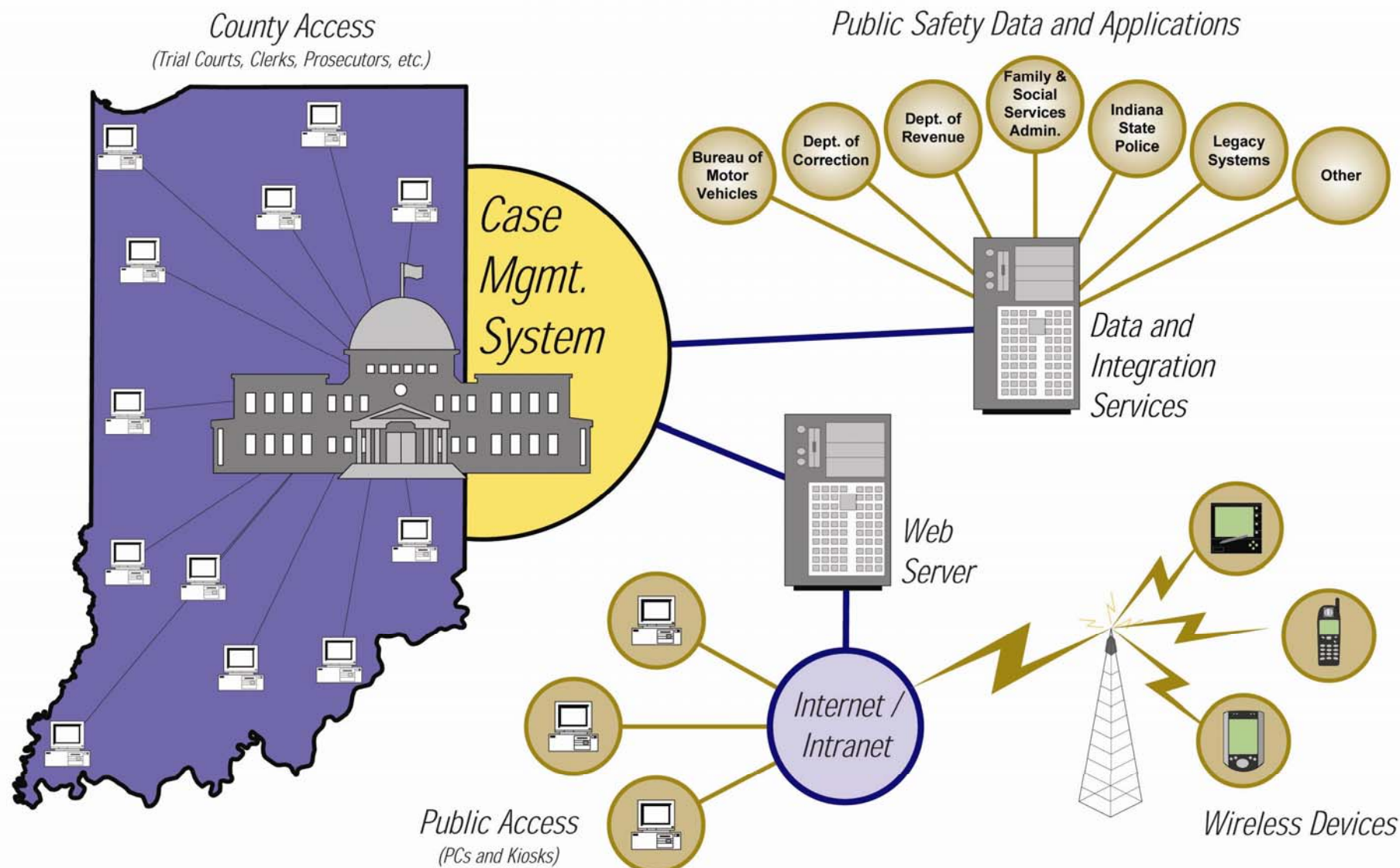
CMS – Remembering the vision

Necessary funding for this project was provided by legislation because it will:

- Connect counties with each other
- Connect counties with state agencies
- Save clerks, judges, attorneys and the general public time and money
- Gather statewide information on key data such as protective orders, CDL convictions, caseloads and other issues.



Indiana Supreme Court Vision: Integrated Statewide Case Management System (CMS)





CMS UPDATE

Time passed – but it DID NOT run out.





CMS WORK IS HAPPENING

CMS is back in high gear following an interruption. We reconfirmed your input, reviewed work to date and set a new action plan.





NEW CMS ACTIVITY

- JTAC staff has been reorganized.
- Mary DePrez joined JTAC January 2005
- Experience includes
 - Work as a IV-D deputy prosecutor
 - Six years as a trial court judge
 - Deputy State Health Commissioner
 - Deputy and Special Counsel at FSSA
 - Commissioner of the Bureau of Motor Vehicles; implemented Saturday hours
 - Chairperson of the Alcohol and Tobacco Commission



NEW CMS SPECIFICS

- Computer Associates has added significant staff to the project team.
- The Computer Associates project team and its leaders now report directly to the CEO.
- Following feedback from JTAC, the project approach has been changed to meet our needs – and yours.



NEW CMS SPECIFICS

The Governing Board structure has been changed to add more clerks and more judges from around the state.





NEW COMMITTEE STRUCTURE

Executive Committee

Voting Members

Justice Frank Sullivan, Jr. (Chair), Indiana Supreme Court
Cale J. Bradford, Presiding Judge, Marion Superior Court
Lilia Judson, Esq., Executive Director, Division of State Court Administration
Doris Anne Sadler, Marion Superior Court Clerk

CMS Governing Board

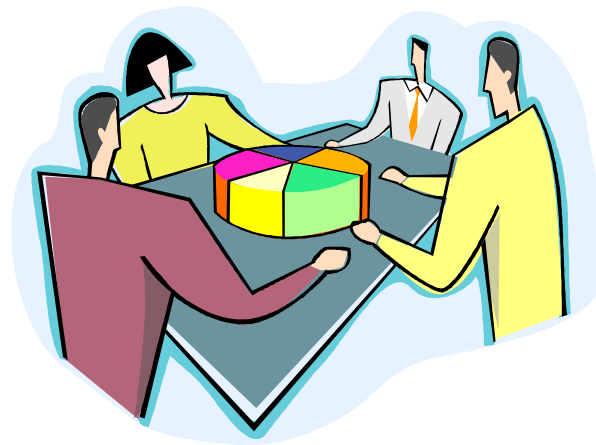
Voting Members*

Mary DePrez (Chair), CMS Director, JTAC (Alternate: tbc)	Senior Judge John Kellam, STAD Consultant (Alternate: Judge Barbara Harcourt)
Natalie Auberry, Staff Attorney, JTAC (Alternate: tbc)	Judge Paul Mathias, Indiana Court of Appeals (Alternate: Camille Wiggins)
Tammy Baitz, Hamilton County Clerk (Alternate: Deb LePere)	Mark Renner, Marion Superior Court Administrator (Alternate: Amitav Thamba)
Donna Edgar, Marion County Justice Agency (Alternate: Mike McConaha)	Lynne Spevak, LaPorte County Clerk (Alternate: tbc)
Judge Michael Gotsch, St. Joseph Circuit Court (Alternate: Lisa Plencner)	Camille Wiggins, Staff Attorney, STAD (Alternate: tbc)
Judge Mary G. Willis, Henry Circuit Court (Alternate: tbc)	



NEW CMS SPECIFICS

Crowe Chizek was hired as a consultant because of their expertise in large technology projects. They revised the project plan and jump started the CMS. All information gathered to date is under review.





NEW CMS SPECIFICS

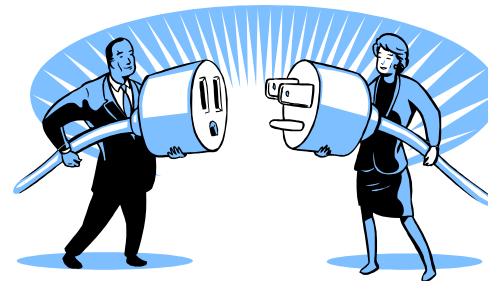
The new CMS system can be downloaded right to your PCs instead of needing technicians to install it – everyone will be connected and get seamless updates.





NEW CMS SPECIFICS

We will start with a basic CMS for use by all counties, whether large or small, rural or urban. More functions will be added in the future.





NEW CMS SPECIFICS

- **Marion County** is upgrading its JUSTIS system to a Microsoft platform and they call it JUSTIS.NET
- JUSTIS.NET will be a module of statewide CMS and we are all working together to realize our shared vision.



CMS SPECIFICS

- If you want to upgrade or add a system on your own, you must get advance approval.
- Most importantly - any new work **must** be able to interface with the statewide CMS.





NEW CMS SPECIFICS

- FINANCIAL APPLICATION WORK





CMS – WHAT’S NEXT?

- Updates will be posted regularly on the JTAC website – www.in.gov/judiciary/jtac
- We will post progress reports and all new activity as well as answer all your questions



Why we need a statewide CMS

- Everyone has the same information for each county
- Information can be tabulated to track statewide trends and statistics
- Information from all 92 counties is vital to state agencies including the Department of Correction, State Police, Family and Social Services Administration, and the Bureau of Motor Vehicles....**How vital?**

.....here's just one example.....



JTAC-BMV Partner to protect millions in federal funds for Indiana

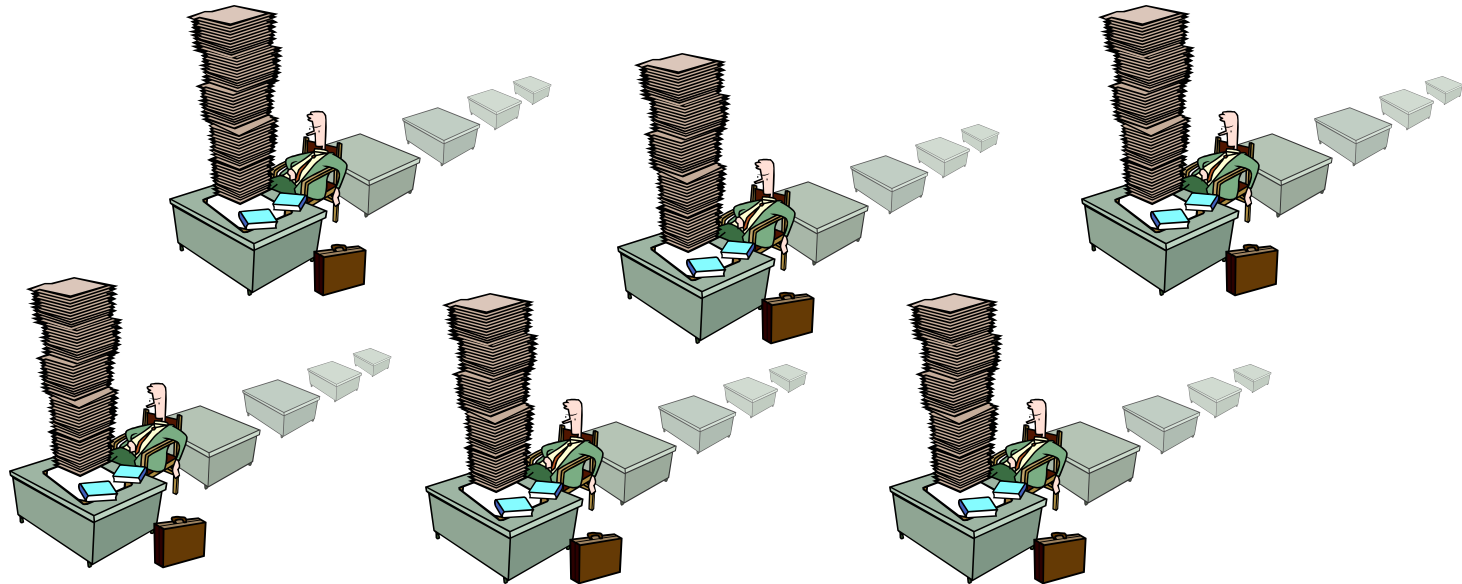
- Recent changes in federal rules reduce the reporting time allowed for SR-16 forms to the BMV.
- Our goal is to have accurate reporting of CDL convictions to the BMV within 10 days.





JTAC-BMV Partner to protect millions in federal funds for Indiana

- Currently, most SR-16s are sent to the BMV by mail – 10,000 paper forms are sent every week!
- That volume requires 20 full-time employees who input the SR-16 data.





JTAC-BMV Partner to protect millions in federal funds for Indiana

All SR-16 records of convictions that can be sent electronically will be sent in an electronic format to the BMV

- Protects \$30 million in federal funds!
- Ensures information on drivers is received quickly and records are updated immediately.
- Reduces clerical work for the BMV and reduces errors.

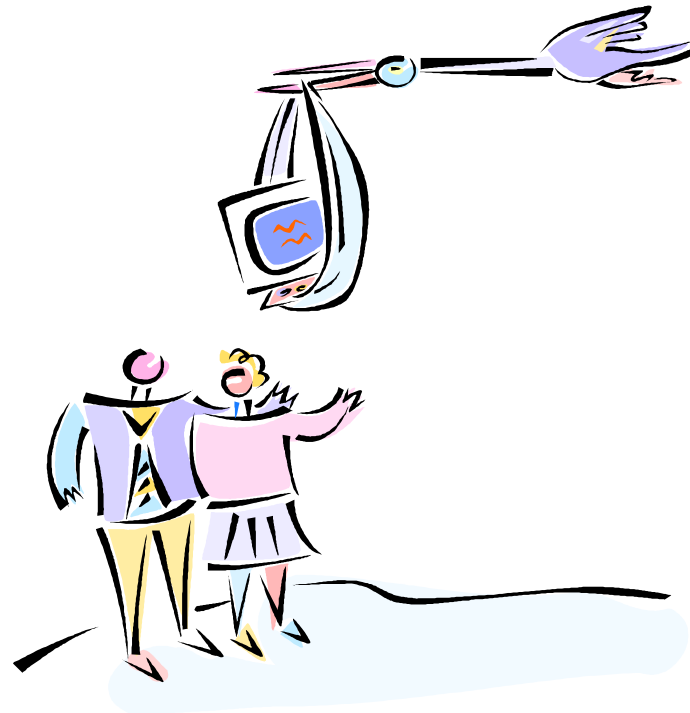
EVERYONE WINS!





CMS TIMELINE

- Creating
- Testing
- Delivering





QUESTIONS?

Remember - you will be getting regular updates on CMS through the JTAC newsletter, website, and emails.

- www.IN.gov/judiciary/jtac

- **Comments or questions?**

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